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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

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For:

1. Type of Application

This new application is for an: Original

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2. Ben fit of Prior U.S. Application(s) (35 U.S.C. § 120)

Not applicable

3. Papers Enclosed Which Are Required For Filing Date Under 37 CFR 1.53(b) (Regular) or 37 CFR 1.153 (Design) Application:

21 Pages of Application, including:

1 Page of Cover Page

13 Pages of Specification 6 Pages of Claims

1 Page of Abstract

3 Sheets of Informal Drawings

4. **Additional Papers Enclosed**

- A receipt verification postcard is enclosed. A Patent Application Fee Determination Record is enclosed.
- A Fee Transmittal for FY 2004 is enclosed.
- An Information Disclosure Statement by Applicant is enclosed.
- An Application Data Sheet is enclosed.

5. **Declaration or Oath**

A COMBINED DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY executed by the inventor is enclosed.

6. **Inventorship Statement**

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The inventorship for all the claims in this application is the same.

7. Fee Calculation (37 CFR 1.16)

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8. Small Entity Stat ment

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